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SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS VETTING FOR US SPONSORED TRAINING  
FOR AL-QADHI AND ALSODANI

REF: BAGHDAD 498

¶1. (U) The Department has reviewed its files and finds that it possesses no credible information of gross violations of human rights at this time by the members of the Iraqi Security Forces listed below. Department strongly suggests that visa applications for these individuals be filled with as much time as possible to allow for additional processing procedures that may be required. Note that if, at any time, the Embassy becomes aware of any information regarding incidents which could be deemed to be credible information of a gross violation of human rights by these individuals, the Embassy should so inform the department.

¶2. (SBU) The name of the proposed candidates are as follows:

NAME: Basil Al-Qadhi  
POSITION: B. General, Air Force  
DOB: September 21, 1957  
TYPE OF TRAINING: 4th Annual Sovereign Challenge Conference  
TRAINING LOCATION: SanDestin Conference Center, SanDestin, Florida  
DATES OF TRAINING: March 16-19, 2009

NAME: Ismael Alsodani  
POSITION: Staff BG  
DOB: September 23, 1962  
TYPE OF TRAINING: 4th Annual Sovereign Challenge Conference  
TRAINING LOCATION: SanDestin Conference Center, SanDestin, Florida  
DATES OF TRAINING: March 16-19, 2009

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